

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4462
ANSWERED ON:22.08.2000
PISTOLS MISSING
E. AHAMED

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether a number of Pistols were found missing from the Armoury of Police Training College, Jharodakalan in South West Delhi recently;
- (b) if so, the total cost of the pistols;
- (c) the details of the investigations made so far to recover the stolen arms;
- (d) the total number of pistols recovered and the number of persons suspended/arrested in this connection; and
- (e) the steps taken to prevent recurrence of such incidents in future?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (CH. VIDYASAGAR RAO)

(a)&(b): Yes, Sir. Three pistols costing Rs.61,929/- were found to be missing.

(c)&(d): Delhi Police have formally registered a criminal case in the matter. The missing pistols have not, however, so far been recovered. In the meantime, four police personnel have been placed under suspension and regular Departmental Enquiry has been instituted against them.

(e): Delhi Police have tightened the security of the Armoury to prevent recurrence of such incidents.